



How-To Video Snapstone Tile

VIDEO	AUDIO
Finished scene shots	GETTING THAT NATURAL BEAUTIFUL LOOK OF PORCELAIN TILE IS EASY WITH SNAPSTONE. HERE WE'LL SHOW YOU HOW TO GET PROFESSIONAL RESULTS EVEN IF YOU'VE NEVER INSTALLED TILE BEFORE.
Placing tile down	AFTER MAKING SURE YOUR SUB FLOOR IS CLEAN, SMOOTH, DRY, HARD, AND FLAT, YOU'RE READY TO START INSTALLING. PLUS, YOU CAN EVEN INSTALL OVER PREVIOUS VINYL, WOOD, CONCRETE, OR CERAMIC FLOORS. SNAPSTONE TILES CAN BE INTERLOCKED USING A WHITE RUBBER Mallet. GIVE IT MORE OF A TAP THAN A HIT TO MAKE THEM CLICK TOGETHER. IT'S THAT EASY. EITHER INSTALL TILES ONE AT A TIME, OR IN ROWS. JUST KEEP IN MIND THAT A TILE CANNOT BE INSTALLED BETWEEN TWO OTHER TILES. THE LAYOUT SHOULD BE PLANNED SO THE CUT PIECES ALONG THE PERIMETER WILL BE AESTHETICALLY PLEASING.
Snapping tile into place	
Perimeter being measured	
Wetsaw cutting tile, and shots of tile cutter	TO CUT TILES YOU CAN USE A WET SAW, TILE CUTTER, OR ANGLE GRINDER, ALL WITH A DIAMOND BLADE. MAKE SURE TO KEEP A ONE FOURTH INCH GAP ALONG WALLS TO ALLOW FOR EXPANSION AND CONTRACTION. IF USING A TILE CUTTER ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS SCORE THE TILE, SNAP IT, AND THEN RUN A UTILITY KNIFE THROUGH TO FINISH THE BREAK.
Perimeter being measured	
Each step of using tile cutter	
Putting grout on floor	ONCE YOU'RE DONE SNAPPING THE TILES INTO PLACE, YOU'RE READY TO START GROUTING. WITH SNAPSTONE TILE ONLY USE SNAPSTONE URETHANE FLEXIBLE GROUT. YOU'LL ALSO NEED A

Spreading grout	<p>HARD RUBBER EDGED GROUT FLOAT, 5 GALLON BUCKET, AND A SPONGE. GIVE THE GROUT A GOOD STIR BEFORE USING. DON'T ADD WATER OR ANYTHING ELSE BECAUSE IT'S READY AS IS. WITH THE FLOAT AT 45 DEGREES, SPREAD THE GROUT DIAGONALLY GIVING FIRM PRESSURE SO THE JOINTS GET FILLED COMPLETELY. BE SURE TO REMOVE GROUT RESIDUE AS YOU WORK. NEVER GROUT MORE THAN 5 TO 10 SQUARE FEET BEFORE CLEANING. AFTER GROUTING A SMALL AREA YOU'RE GOING TO NEED TO WIPE THE JOINTS AND TILE SURFACE WITH A LIGHTLY DAMP SPONGE. NEXT YOU'LL WIPE THE LOOSENEED GROUT RESIDUE IN SWEEPING PASSES BUT RINSING THE SPONGE AFTER EVERY PASS, AND ONLY USING EACH SIDE OF THE SPONGE ONCE BETWEEN RINSING. CHECK WORK AS YOU CLEAN, AND DON'T BE AFRAID TO GROUT AND CLEAN THE SAME AREA TWICE TO GET IT PERFECT. ONCE YOU'RE DONE GROUTING GIVE THE FLOOR 24 HOURS FOR LIGHT TRAFFIC AND WAIT AT LEAST 72 HOURS FOR HEAVY TRAFFIC.</p> <p>AS YOU CAN SEE, INSTALLING SNAPSTONE PORCELAIN FLOOR TILES CAN TRULY BE A SIMPLE D-I-Y PROJECT. FOR DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, AND MORE EASY HOW-TO PROJECTS, VISIT MENARDS-DOT-COM.</p>
Cleaning area	
Giving area a final clean	
Shots of just finished flooring and then final bathroom scenes	
Final bathroom scenes	